

### St. Andrew Lutheran Church

# Heartbeats Weekly Updates For the Week: 11/28-12/4/2021

### **Weekly Calendar:**

### **Events This Week:**

Nov 28 | 9:30 AM Worship Service

11:00 AM Adult Education

Dec 1 | 7:00 PM Advent Service

| 7:30 PM Choir Practice

### **Birthdays This Week**

Boyd Guildner Nov 29
Don Scotvold Nov 30
Addison Gentile Nov 30
Cara Reimer Dec 1

### <u>Sunday</u>

## Flowers are given: Worship Assistants for Nov. 28, 2021

In celebration of the

start of Advent!

Reader: Emily Bruhns

**Power Point:** Marie Jorgensen **Praise Team:** Chris Knight

Organist / Choir Director: Randy Guiaya

### The Flower Chart

The Flower Chart for 2021 is now available for you to sign up for donating flowers for Sunday mornings. At this point in time we cannot deliver them to shut-ins, so please take the flowers home with you following the service. The cost is \$40 per bouquet. Please make your check payable to St. Andrew Lutheran Church and indicate 'flowers' in the memo line. There are many blanks to be filled in—Please prayerfully consider how you can help. Thank you for your generosity.

<u>Sunday School:</u> Sunday School will be starting up again on December 5. We will be meeting every other Sunday at 8:30 AM in the Sunday School room,.

### Youth Group: No Youth Group this week

Next meeting: Youth Service Project 12/5 @9:30 AM in Youth Room. We meet every other Sunday at 9:30 AM. Youth group is for all 5th – 8th grade youth. Invite your friends and join us for a great time! Please contact the church office if you are interested in joining! (562) 944-1148

# Adult Education takes place on Sundays at 11AM via Zoom.

If you're interested in joining, please email the church office or Marsha Ehlers for the Zoom invitation (marshaehlers@gmail.com)

### **Wednesday**

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY ON HIATUS - Having completed our study of Luke-Acts, and because of holiday schedule and services, the Wednesday 11:00am and 6:00pm Bible studies are taking a break until after the first of the year. At that time, we will begin a study of Paul's Letter to the Romans. This was the key book of the Bible which opened for Luther the good news of grace through faith and led to his actions which triggered the Reformation. Watch for information for when these classes will resume.

# Midweek Advent Service:

12/1 @7:00 PM

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Suzanne Thompson Mission and Service

Isla Holmes Hospitality

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Len Bobier
Evangelism Leader

Marie Jorgensen

Congregational Care

Jon Woody *Property* 

Kathy Mitzen

Adult

Daniell Crocker

# Monthly

#### November is dried beans month!

Reminder: we are collecting dried beans this month for the Interfaith Food Center. i.......

#### December is canned meat month!

We are collecting canned meat for the Interfaith Food Center (IFC) in December. Please bring your donations to church on Sunday mornings or to the office during the week. Donations of other non-perishable food is also accepted as well as financial donations to the IFC (checks can be made out to St. Andrew with IFC in the memo line). If you have any questions, please call Suzanne Thompson at 562-943-5161, or email her at italia4me2@gmail.com.



### **Interfaith Food Center Christmas food collection**

The deadline to donate non-perishable food for Christmas to the Interfaith Food Center (IFC) is December 5.

Most needed items for Christmas: stuffing, mashed potatoes, canned fruits/ vegetables, chicken or beef broth, canned pumpkin and canned yams, cranberry sauce, cream of mushroom or other canned soups, canned meat (tuna, beef, chicken, ham), pasta and sauce, rice, beans, cake mix, pancake mix, flour, cereal, pull op canned foods

- **Drop off your donations:** Narthex or Office during office hours
- Financial donations welcome

Note "Interfaith Food Center-Christmas" in the memo line of your check, or on the offering envelope if cash. Checks or cash can be placed in the offering plate or church mailbox.

Gift cards instead of Angel Tree toy donations - deadline December 5

The IFC is accepting \$15-25 gift cards from Target, Walmart and Amazon due to Covid in lieu of Angel Tree toy donations. Please make sure the value of the card is evident. If not, please write it on the card or packaging. Gift cards can be dropped off in the box on the table in the Narthex.

Thank you in advance for your generosity!

### **Community Prayers**

### **Prayers**

Pastor Tim at River of Hope Mission, Habitat for Humanity, our brothers and sisters in Pachacamac, Peru, family and friends who are serving in the military, ELCA Bishop Elizabeth Eaton, Pacifica Synod Bishop Andy Taylor, and our Pastor Jeffrey Nelson

St. Andrew is a community of prayer and we encourage you to join in praying for those on the prayer list. Names are kept on for 3 months for non long-term requests.

#### Members

- •Selma Bergen
- •Anne Christiansen
- •Diane Fort-Woody
- Marian Humphreys
- •Christine Perez
- Jon Woody

### Members - Long Term

- •Leslie Barr
- •Ken Christiansen
- Betty Dagen
- •Barbara DuBois
- •Grace Gundell
- •Doris Johnson
- Lois Kalla
- Shirley Kellison

### •Krystal Martin (and family)

- •Bob McKinney
- •Lorel Morgan
- •Sally Sauer
- •Lorraine Tunburg
- •Sandy Wicker
- •Jeff Woody

### **Friends and Family**

- •June Jones
- •Gerard Martinez
- •Marl Sanbower
- •Dave White
- •Bob
- •Dylan & June
- •Renee
- •Wendy

### Friends and Family

- Long Term
- •Jeralyn Ehlers
- •Chiari Eliazarras
- •Grant Eyles
- •Christine Fantz
- •Marcus Glidden
- •Shirley Loveless
- Matthew Muldown